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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 3-14

Part B. for October 1910

SUBJECT.

assignment of date trees for the supply of toddy to the C & M Station Bangalore.

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3. From the J. A. Resident in Mysore.
No. 5731 d. 1-9-09.
Forwards copy of letter No 3356 dt 24.8.09 from the Collector C & M Station regarding the insufficiency and unsuitability of the trees assigned in the Mysore State for early consideration of the recommendation made in the concluding paragraph of Mr. Sherman's report.

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4. To the Excise Comr.
No. 21. 1722 dt. 20-9-09.
Forwards the papers for an early report.

5. From the F.A. Resident.
No. 1532 dt 12-3-10.
Enquiries if Mr. Sherman can be permitted to make a short tour in the Nuddea and Mysore Districts in communication with the District Excise officers concerned in order to report to the Collector & C.I.m Station upon the sufficiency and suitability of the date trees assigned by the Durbar for the supply of toddy to the C.I.m Station Shops for 1910-11 and to request that necessary assistance may be rendered to Mr. Sherman in his tour.

6. To the F.A. Resident
No. Pol. 795 dt 18/3/10.
Intimates that the Durbar have no objection to Mr. Sherman touring as desired, and that the Excise Comr has been requested to arrange for necessary help being rendered to Mr. Sherman.
To the Excise Comr. No Jl. 4615 dt 18/3/10.
Forwards copy of the above.

7. From the F.A. Resident.
No. 2382 dt. 18/4/10.
Forwards for the consideration of the Durbar copy of letter no 1686 dt the 12th april 1910 from the Collector C.I.m Station, & its enclosure, bringing to the notice of the Residency that the trees assigned in the Chikmagalur Kanachalli &c. for supply of toddy to the C.I.m Station Shops are insufficient and unsuitable and requesting that a fresh assignment may be made within a reasonable distance from the Railway Station.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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File No. 11-09

FILE HEADING.

Assignment of trees for the supply of toddy to the CTH. Station, Bangalore

From

The J.A. Resident in Mysore

No. 5731 · Dated 1.9.09. Received 1.9.09

Diary No. 1026	Enclos.	Spare Copies.	Serial No. 3

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Forwards copy of letter no. 3356 dt 21.8.09 from the Collector CTH & Vice regarding the insufficiency & unsuitability of the trees assigned in the Mysore State, for early consideration of the recommendation made in the concluding paragraph of Mr Sherman's report.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

Mr Sherman, Supt of Excise, CTH Station inspected the Bidare Ammanpudi & Lakkahalli Kaval of the Tiptur Taluk, where the date trees in which have been allotted to the Station for the current opkaal year, with a view to report on the sufficiency and

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Suitability of the trees assigned, and he recommends that in substitution for the trees in the Lakkahalli kaval, trees in sufficient number maybe assigned in Bagavala, Honnehalli & Lakkahalli (which is different from the kaval) or some other village close to Bidare Ammanguli kaval

Submitted with a draft forwarding the papers to the Excise Com^r for report.

Asst 10/9

mr 10/9.

11/9/09 SH

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Approved HKM

11/9/09

issue SH

4 To the Excise Com^r 14/9/09

no. Je 1722 & 20.9.09

Forwards the papers for an early report

5. From the Resident

no 1532 & 12/9/09

Requests if Mr Neelmani Case be permitted to make a short tour in the Kanakur & Mysore Districts as Communication with the Excise

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Persons concerned in order to report to the Collector Chittoor upon the sufficiency & suitability of the sale trees assigned by the Inamdar for the supply of logs to the Chittoor depot for Govt. use and to request that necessary assistance may be rendered to Mr. Sherman in his tour.

Mr. Wills a Deputy reports that there is no objection to Mr. Sherman ~~inspecting~~ touring in Mysore & Seringapatam districts

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Draft may be approved
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6	To the P.A. Resident No Pol. 795 & 8/3/06. Intimates that the Durbar have no objection to Mr Sherman touring in the Nuclear Mysore Dists and that the Resr Comr has been requested to arrange for necessary help being rendered to Mr Sherman.
	To Resr Comr No H. 615 & 8/3/06 Forwards Copy of the above in Continuation of 814
7	From the P.A. Resident No 2382 & 8/4/06 for the consideration of the Durbar Forwards Copy of letter No 1056 & 1057 dated from the Collector & D.M. Bangalore & of the enclosure bringing to the notice of the Residency that the trees assigned to the Cantonment for the Chikmaikeelalli Valley for supply of wood to the C&M Stores are insufficient & of inferior quality and requesting that a fresh assignment may be

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may be made within a reasonable distance from the Railway Station so that they may be brought to the Camp & the earliest time as possible

No H 798/20-4 forwarded to the Forest Commissioner in Mysore for favour of early expression of opinion.

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For Order

S Srinivasaya

20th April 1910. For Secretary to Govt

wd 20/4/10

Mr Sherman has not definitely described the locality where he wishes the allotment of trees for the C & M Station to be made for 1910-11. If the locality be marked on the Taluk map of Tiptur, enquiry will be made as to whether the groves therein situated are available.

In this Connection, I enclose copy of Mr Sparkes' D.O. dated 27th January 1910 to the Collector, C & M Station, stating that date groves near Yelwall and Nanjanpur are also available.

Mr Sherman said O/S Excise Commr

21st April 1910.

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Please see wd/Mem

22/4/10

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D. O.

OFFICE OF THE EXCISE COMMISSIONER

IN MYSORE,

Bangalore, Dated 27—1—1910.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your D.O. regarding trees to be allotted to the C & M Station for the ensuing year, I find from enquiries that the following groves can be assigned for the purpose.

Groves in the neighbourhood of Chikkanakanhalli Tatug, situated about 13 miles from the Tiptur Station, about 13000 trees.

2. Groves near Yelwall, Mysore District about 15 miles from the nearest Railway Station, 3000 trees.

3. Groves in the neighbourhood of Bangarpet Mysore District, about 9 miles from the Kadatoka Station — 3000 trees

Should your Excise Superintendent wish to inspect these groves and select from any one of them, I shall be happy to grant

every facility for doing so, if he will kindly let me know the dates.

Yours truly

(Sd). H. H. Sparkes.

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Copy

To.

The Collector

C & M. Station

Bangalore.

Dated 21/4/10

Dated for orders.

Mr Sleeman desires to know if he is expected the assignment made only in Chikmaikerdah

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which could found the trees there insufficient & unsuitable. He wants some other trees within a reasonable distance from the Rly. Are such as the trees near the 2nd mile of the road along which he travelled. But the Collr Comr states that Mr Sherman has not definitely described the locality where he wishes the allotment to be made for 10-11 and that if he marks the locality in the District which may be will be able to say whether it can be had or not. Mr Sherman does not seem to have thought it necessary to inspect the assignments made near Veluval & Vanjeyigud

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22/4/10

22/4/10 We may request Mr Sherman (thro' the Resident) to point out Exactly the area he would choose - informing him also that this unavailable. Else as explained in the Ex. Comm's note above

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mr 25/4/10

maps have to be sent
obtain them and
revise draft accgly
and submit

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26/4/10.

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& Devalia Reliefs are enclosed and the
Draft is slightly altered

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26/4/10

mr 26/4/10

Draft may be appd

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27/4/10

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28.4.10

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To save time, the Dy
Excise Commr may write
to Mr Sherman, meet him
and ascertain particulars

KRR
27/4/10

Draft accgly. Mr.
28/4/10 SR

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	Dr Pollard's Case 29/4/10 Jenns Sd
	29/4/10
8	To the Excise Com^r no 7C 5401 Dy 30-4-10 forwards the correspondence received with 8-7 (inclusive) & requests him to write Mr Sherman, meet him & ascertain the necessary particulars with reference to the last para of his letter no 417 Dy 3-3-10 to the Collector, CDN Station
9	From the 1st Resident no 3331 Dy 2-6-10 forwards Copy of letter no 254 Dy 27-5-10 from the Collector, CDN Station reporting that Mr Parkes has written to say that he cannot give 5000 trees in or about Kembal (Manjanad) and urging that the Durbar be asked to reconsider the matter, make arrangements for the proper supply of trees, and requests that the Resident may be favored with the view of the Durbar in the matter.
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	The Excise Comr has not replied to Sl no 8. It is not clear if the intimation given by Mr Sparkes to the Collector CM Station is the result of the conference he was asked to have with Mr Sherman:
	Submit with a draft forwarding the Collector's present letter also to the Excise Comr calling for a very early report thereon.
	ASR 8/6 4/6/10
	Issue Submit to Govt
	4/6/10.
10	To the Excise Comr no 7E 6040 dy 6-6-10 Forwards copy of Sl. 9 calls for a report on the points urged in the Collector's letter
11	From the Excise Comr no 10546 dy 6-6-10 Reports that the trees available are those in the Hulehalli grove about 8 miles from Konehalli Station & the Honwali trees at Goribidnur, and suggests that for reasons explained the CM Station may be requested to obtain their toddy in future from the Madras Presidency

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The Revenue Commissioner's statements in the letter under disposal are not definite and do not help to give a definite & final reply to ~~the~~ the Residency. The Contractors ~~the~~ the Commissioner should have by this time taken trees in the State & it may be useful to obtain information as to the places where trees have now been taken whether they want more trees for the year & whether the trees required can be assigned

Removed

A draft is accordingly submitted for approval or other orders thereon

6/7/09

It has been since informally ascertained that about 1000 trees have been lopped out of 3000 trees allotted in Hulehalle grove & about 500 private trees in Goribidnur taluk. It is also ascertained that more trees will be made available in Hulehalli grove for the Commissioner's purposes if there

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Contractors require these
Nee Excise Comr does not seem
to be inclined to assign the whole
area of Tulukalli stone viz is
reduced for the assignment
made in Chikmaikenkalli.
as he feels a similar complaint
again after the trees in Tulukalli
stone is transferred & as there will
be a constant requisition for
the change of assignments
he is not prepared to make
the assignment because he
thinks that the Com. Ass.
authorities should be requested
to make their own arrange-
ments for trees in the Madras
Presidency as there is no pre-
occasion in this instance and
as the best trees are taken away
for the Com. Ass in preference
to the local Contractors & ulti-
mately to Govt. revenue.
The subject matter of the
Excise Comrs letter under
Dis regd has been communicated
to the Residency by means of

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1, a DO (no 1141 dy 30/7/10) from the Commissioner in the matter from the Residency may be awaited.

The assignment of trees in Kulekalli & private trees in Goti. between which has been since communicated to the Collector C.M. Stn by the Excise Comr also.

As regards the assignment of trees to C.M. Stn it will be necessary to know the previous history of the subject and it is briefly stated in the office note in SSh log-dy pulay and the files linked with it. on the Excise Comr's proposal to recover from the Residency at least the cost of marking the trees taken by the C.M. Stn. Contractor which is still under correspondence.

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In the DO. reply given to the Resdy we have not committed ourselves.

The points for orders are is whether any information has to be called for from the Excise Comr as to his statement on what points

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Fr No 1253

No 4413

Bangalore
25th July 1910

Dear Mr Ananda Row,

Will you kindly refer to the correspondence ending with this Office endorsement No: 3331 dated the 2d June 1910, regarding the allotment of trees for the supply of toddy to the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, and let me know, for Mr Fraser's information, when a reply may be expected.

Yours Sincerely
Sd W. G. Grey
Major
First Assistant
Resident

Copy

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D.O.No. 1141

Mysore,
30th July 1910.

My dear Sir,

In reply to your D.O. letter No.4413 dated the 25th July 1910 regarding the allotment of trees for the supply of toddy to the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, I write to say that the matter is under consideration.

2. The Excise Commissioner reports that he has directed the District Excise Officer of Tumkur to allot for the Civil and Military Station shops 3000 date trees in the Hulehalli grove, near the 7th mile of the road from Chiknaikanahalli to Hiriyur, which is apparently the grove referred to by Mr. Sherman in the concluding portion of para 6 of his letter to the Collector of the Civil and Military Station, No.417 dated 31st March 1910.

3. The Excise Commissioner also reports that there are some two to three thousand trees standing on occupied lands available in Kembal near Nanjangud in the Mysore District; and "a large number" of similar trees (in occupied lands) in the Goribidnur Taluk (Kolar District). These trees being private property cannot be assigned to any shops by the Government, and it is suggested that if the toddy contractors elect to take these

trees, early application should be made for them, as there is large demand for trees from other parts of the State.

4. One chief difficulty is that date trees appear to have been greatly affected by the late drought, from the effects of which they have not yet recovered; and consequently there has been a larger demand than usual for trees. A suggestion apparently worthy of consideration that has been made in this connection is that the contractors of the Civil and Military Station should be asked to obtain their supplies of toddy in future from the Madras Presidency.

Yours Sincerely
Sd/- T. Ananda Rau

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Major W.G. Grey I.A.,
First Assistant to the Hon'ble
the Resident in Mysore.

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D. O. No. 71508

THE RESIDENT MYSORE

BANGALORE.

26th September 1910.

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To the Secretary
Kindly expedite
the file
26-9-10

My dear Ananda Row,

Will you please refer to your demi-official letter No.1141, dated the 30th July 1910, regarding the allotment of trees for the supply of toddy to the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, and let me know for Col. Daly's information how the matter now stands.

Please follow up
27/9/10

Yours sincerely

W. L. Shey Major,
First Asst. Resident.

T. Ananda Row, Esq., C.I.E.,
Dewan of Mysore.

K.M.
23.9.10.

Further Communication from the Residency was expected in regard to the points referred to in paras 3 & 4 of the Dewan's D.O to the F.A Resident (no 1141 d. 30-7-10). This not known

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If any action has been taken by the C.M. Station authorities to take the Deodwale Trees in Kembal near Ranyangud and elsewhere.

If approved a draft will be prompt. to the Excise Com^r enquiring how the matter stands Subd Jarades.

Asst. 27/9

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Yes. Early (but it is not clear what Exactly the Res^t want - they have not touched on the matters raised in the Dewans Do.)

27/9/10

Draft Submitted 27/9/10.

Asst 27/9

27/9

27/9/10

12 To the Excise Com^r
no H 1721 dy 27.9.10
Calls for a full report on the matter as it now stands.

13 From the Excise Com^r
no 2982 dy 28.9.10

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States that in Consultation with the Collector Coorg Western & the Supdt of Excise, CXH station, arrangements have been made towards the necessary number of Government trees in the Reserves and permission given to the Contractor concerned to tap Coorg Indrivali trees both in the Yaibedmu & Kankanhalli Taluks, and that as no complaints have been received he presumes that the arrangements made are suitable.

Submitted

ASR 29/9

29/9/10

(1) Mr Res[t] may be requested accept

(2) Postmp draft - Agent

29/9/10.

Draft DO submitted.

ASR 30/9

30/9/10

may be approved

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Sd 30/9/10

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	Issue
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	Approve
14	To the F.A. Resident
	DO no Pol 271 dt 26-10-10
	States that in connection with the Collector's supervision Station arrangements have been made to mark the necessary number of trees in the Tiptur TK & permission given to the contractor to tap trees on private lands in the Gaibronns & Kankanhalli TKs & that the arrangements are deemed workable. Also invites attention to the suggestion contained in the Dewan's D.O no 1141 dt 30-7-10 re the C.M.S. Station obtaining their toddy supply from the trades Residency.

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S.R. 11-09
Sno. 3

Letter No. 3356, dated the 21st August 1909, from the -- Collector, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, to the First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.

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I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 4561 dated 10th July 1909 conveying the remarks of the Hon'ble the Resident regarding the supply of toddy to the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore.

2. As previously arranged, vide correspondence ending with your letter No. 4951 dated 28th July 1909, Mr. Sherman --- made a short tour in the Tiptur Taluk and has now submitted his report on the sufficiency and suitability of the trees assigned by the Durbar.

3. In forwarding a copy of his report and of the marginally noted correspondence regarding the assignment of groves for the supply of toddy to the -- Station during the current year, I beg to support the recommendation of Mr. Sherman and to request that the Durbar may be addressed on the subject. From a perusal of the Superintendent of Excise's report it will be observed that there is ground for

x Letter No. 11606 dated 24th June '08 from the Excise Commissioner in Mysore to Superintendent of Excise C. & M. Station and No. 10415 dated 17.5.'09 to the Collector.

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Serial No 4

Diary No. of letter replied to 1026

No. H 1722

dy 20-9-09

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To

Here enter Conespondence ending with the Residency Endt no. 5731-G/1-9-09.

Date of issue 20 Septr 09

Signed by W Krishna, Memo:- Gen Rev Sect

Dated, Bangalore, Septr '09

Copy of the above with the enclosures in original is forwarded to the Excise Comr in Mysore for an early report

* Wbe obliged returned.

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for Secy

11/9/09

Asst 10/9

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SUBJECT

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D 3648 — R 12-3-10

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12/2/10

No. 1532

SR

FROM

MAJOR W. G. GREY, I. A.,
FIRST ASSISTANT TO THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Dewan of Mysore.

Dated Bangalore, 12th March 1910.

SIR,

SR. 11-09-2.

With reference to the correspondence ending with Mr. Chandrasekhara Iyer's letter No.74-Pol., dated the 21st July -- 1909, I am directed to state that the Resident will be glad if Mr. Sherman, Excise Superintendent of the Civil and Military -- Station, can be permitted to make a short tour in the Tumkur and Mysore Districts in communication with the District Excise --- Officers concerned, in order to report to the Collector of the Civil and Military Station upon the sufficiency and suitability of the date trees assigned by the Durbar for the supply of toddy for consumption in the Station during the year 1910-1911 and to request that the necessary assistance may be rendered to Mr. Sherman in his tour.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

T. C. Jackland

for First Assistant Resident.

No. 1533.

A copy of the foregoing letter is forwarded herewith
P.T.O.

herewith to the Collector, Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, for information, in continuation of this office letter No. /530 dated the /2[illegible] March 1910.

(Sd) T. Copeland

for First Assistant Resident.

K.M.

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Diary No. of letter replied to 3648

Pol. No. 795.

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To

The J. A. Resident

in Mysore

Date of issue 18-3-1960

Signed by

for Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter No 1532 dated 12/2/60, and to state that the Government have no objection to the Sheristadar making a loan in the interests of Tuckeer & Mysore

over.

SUBJECT.

in connection with
the assignment of
sale deeds for the refund
of costs to the Executive
for 1910-11 & that the
Excise Comr has been
requested to arrange
for necessary legal assistance
being rendered to
him in this connn

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for DC(SS)

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Copy forwarded
to the Excise Comr for
needful action in
connection with
the office endorsement
No H/1722-8/11-0948
dated 16/9/09

D.O.

for DC(SS)

No DC 4615
dt 18-3-1910

List of enclosures,

Nil

17/3/10

Copied by
Examined by

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for the
Collector

dt 17/3/10

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(8) 11-09
(7) 17a

URGENT.

Letter No.1686, dated the 12th April 1910, from the Collector, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, to the First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.

With reference to the correspondence ending with your office endorsement No.1847, dated the 24th March 1910, I have the honour to forward, for the information of the Hon'ble the Resident, copy of a letter No.417, dated the 31st March 1910, from the Superintendent of Excise, reporting that the trees assigned by the Durbar in Chicknayakanhalli Taluk is insufficient and unsuitable to our purpose, and to point out that, if we depend for toddy on the trees assigned in Chicknayakanhalli Taluk, tapping will take place in the afternoon and toddy will travel all night to catch the 8.37 A.M. train from Tiptur. It will reach Bangalore at 6 P.M. on the second day and will be sold on the third day. The toddy retailed at closing time will be over 50 hours old.

2. On the other hand, if Mr. Sherman's recommendation be adopted, tapping could begin at 2 A.M. and the toddy transported in the coolest part of the day to the Station and would be at least 12 hours fresher.

3. You are aware that there is constant complaint of the insufficiency or unsuitability of the trees assigned by the

Durbar

Durbar for the supply of toddy to the Station, and that good and fresh toddy could not easily be procurable owing to the long distance of the groves from Railway Station. I would therefore request that the Government of Mysore may be moved, and the Excise Commissioner in particular, to be so good enough as to allot sufficient number of trees within a reasonable distance from Bangalore, so that there may be no complaints during the next season.

3. As the Notification regarding the sale of toddy shops has to be issued next month, I would request that the matter may be treated as urgent.

Urgent.

Pol: 1624
D 19-4-10.

No. 2382 Exc

Mysore Resident's Office,
Bangalore, dated the 18th April 1910.

A copy of the foregoing letter, with a copy of the enclosure received therewith, is forwarded to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, for information, with reference to the correspondence ending with Mr. Balasundaram Iyer's letter No.795-Pol., dated the 18th March 1910, and for favour of very early consideration.

W. G. Grey Major,
First Assistant Resident.

K.M.

Letter No.417, dated the 31st March 1910, from the Superintendent of Excise, Civiland Military Station, Bangalore, to the Collector, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore.

With reference to correspondence ending with Durbar's letter No.795-Pol., dated the 18th March 1910, communicated by your foot-note No.1402, dated 26th iddm, I have the honour to send in my report on the sufficiency and suitability of the date trees assigned by the Mysore Durbar for the supply of toddy for consumption in the Civil and Military Station during the period 1st July 1910 to 30th June 1911.

2. I was furnished demi-officially with the names of the villages and the survey number of the fields in which trees had been set ~~forth~~ aside for this station and my inspection was confined to the assigned localities.

3. I left Bangalore on the 22nd of this month and was met at Tiptur by Mr. C. Krishnama Naidu, District Excise Officer who, with his staff, accompanied me in my inspection, and rendered every assistance and were one and all, without exception, most obliging and attentive. My thanks are due to them. My guide on this occasion was marker Anantiah of Chicknayakanhalli Sub Range who was indefatigable.

4. The six assigned villages, Benakankatte, Chatsandra, Dasihalli, Madihalli, Madapur and Tamadihalli are situated in the Chicknayakanhalli Taluk of the Tumkur District, and lie -- from 7 to 10 miles west of the Taluk head quarters of that name. To reach them I travelled over an unmettaled Local Fund Road, which may be described as two parellel ruts flanked by young trees. Eleven and a quarter miles from the Tiptur Travellers' bungalow I struck the road to Hiriyur Taluk, which I followed for about two miles, and then cut across country for a further

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significant that the trees have not been touched for such a greater number of years: this, and the distance of the block from the nearest railway station, are not encouraging.

6. The official (Mysore) estimate of the number of date palms in the 52 fields (all of which I visited) of the assigned villages will be found in the margin; and the position of the trees in that area I have roughly delineated in the accompanying sketch. Assuming that one tree in five-a sanguine estimate - will be found fit for tapping and will repay the cost of doing so, not more than 2800 trees of the assigned area can be turned to account so that a fresh allotment from an equally extensive selection is inevitable. This further allotment should necessarily be in the neighbourhood of the six assigned villages. But should the reallotment condemn us to neighbouring villages of the Chicknayakanhalli Taluk, the difficulties of transport will be enhanced and the distance to the railway increased. I accordingly suggest, for consideration, the cancellation of the Chicknayakanhalli assignment and the substitution therefor -- of areas within a reasonable distance of the railway, such for instance as the groves near the 7th mile of the road along -- which I travelled, where there seemed to be a large number of trees of the same type as those I saw in the assigned area. From the latter position to the railway the distance is about 8 miles so that toddy drawn and despatched before dawn should catch the 8.37 a.m. train from Tiptur arrive at Yeswantapur at 5.53 p.m. and reach the Station shops the same night and be -- ready for issue the following day.

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1. Benkanakatte.	2375
2. Chatsandra.	2087
3. Dasihalli.	2628
4. Madapur.	3452
5. Madihalli.	2227
6. Tamidihalli	1225
Total	13994.

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K.M.

for Registrar, Resident's Office.

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File No. 11/09

Serial No. 8

Diary No. of letter replied to 4220

30/4/10

General and Revenue Secretariat

(SR)

, *the* 190

Date of issue 30th April/10

Signed by M Hiriyannaiah

No. 765401

& 30-4-1910

To

The Excise Comr

in Mysore

Sir

In Continuation

of this Office endorsement

No H 4615-8R 11-09-6,

& the 18th March 1910

I am directed to

forward herewith to

correspondence

ending with D.R.'s

endorsement No 2382

over.

* to be obliged & returned.

SUBJECT.

ad 30/4

No 8141/10 relating to the assignment of pay for the benefit of boys to the Chin. Station of Darjeeling for 1911 and to request that you will be so good as to write to him whether there are any Chin. boys there and ascertain the necessary particulars with reference to the last para of his letter no 417 of 31/3/10 to the Collector Chin. Hill of Darjeeling

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Sd

Forwarded

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GPB—10,000—23-5-08

Letter No.876, dated the 24th February 1910, from the Collector, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, to the First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.

I have the honour to request you will be so good as to obtain the sanction of the Hon'ble the Resident for the Excise Superintendent of the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore making a short tour in the Tumkur and Mysore Districts in the beginning of next month, for reporting on the sufficiency and suitability of the trees assigned by the Mysore Durbar for the supply of toddy to the Station for 1910-1911.

2. The Excise Commissioner in Mysore has reported that there are three groves, one in the neighbourhood of Chicknayakanhally Taluk, Tumkur District, containing 13,000 trees, another near Yelawal, Mysore District, containing 3,000 trees, and the third in the neighbourhood of Nanjangud containing 3,000 trees and that they may be selected by Mr. Sherman after personal -- inspection.

3. In order to enable Mr. Sherman to make a thorough --- inspection of the groves, I would request that he may be provided with a complete set of tents from the Residency and the Kalasis may be directed to accompany him on his tour.

C o p y.

R. S. Tennant Capt

R e g i s t r a r,

Mysore Resident's Office.

K.M.

G.K.S. 26]

4/6/10

File No. 11-09

Serial No. 10

Diary No. of letter replied to 4902

No. R 6040

dy 1/9-6-1910

General and Revenue Secretariat

(Sep Rev)

, *the* 190

Date of issue 6th June 1910

Signed by W Hirayanniah

~~To~~

Here enter Correspondence ending with the Residency Endorsement no 3331 dy 2.6.10

memo.

with its enclosure

Copy of the above is forwarded to the Excise Comr in Mysore in continuation of this office letter no 7E5401 dy 30.4.10. for a report on the points urged in the Collector's letter. A very early reply is requested

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For Dpty Secy.

ASR 4/6

over.

SUBJECT.

ASR 4/6/10

ON 4/6

D. 5026

Ro 105-46

OFFICE OF THE EXCISE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,

No. 1:2

Bangalore, dated 9th June 19 10

From

S.R. 11-09
Sl. no-11

H.H.Sparkes, Esquire.,
Excise Commissioner in Mysore.

To

C.S.Balasundaram Iyer, Esq, B.a.,
Offg: *Secretary to the Government of*
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments.

SIR,

In obedience to Government order No.Fl.6046/S.R.11-09-10, calling for a report on the points urged in the Collector's letter re the assignment of toddy trees to Civil and Military station for the ensuing year, I have the honor to state that the grove mention-ed by Mr.Sherman on the 7th milestone of the Hiryur Road appears - to be the Hulehalli grove and evidently an extensive one and that - some 1478 trees in this grove appear to have been allotted to a cer-tain shop in the Tiptur Taluk. A reference as to the possibility - of granting trees in this grove appears to have been made to the -- District Excise Officer, Tumkur District, so long ago as 24-4-1910, but up to date no reply appears to have been received as to whether any trees can be spared in this grove for allotment to the Civil -- and Military station. As, however, the matter is so pressing I am dir-ecting the District Excise Officer, Tumkur, to allot 3000 trees -- in this Hulchalle grove to the Civil and Military station to begin

1909-10 D5026

From H. H. Sparke, Esquire,

Excise Commissioner in Mysore.

To C. S. Balasundaram Iyer Esqr. B.A.,

Secretary to the Government of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Genl. and Rev. Depts.

Dated
Despatched 9-6-10
Received
General No. 10546

Enclosure No. 2

SUBJECT.

Reporting on the assignment of trees for C+Ex. Station, Toddy-Shops for 1910-11.

GPB—2,000—31-7-09

begin with and to allot trees elsewhere to villages already assign -ed in this grove if these are insufficient.

2. I am given to understand that there are a large number of Hiduvali trees available in Goribidnur Taluk, but these cannot be assigned as they are private property; but if it is elected to take these trees early application should be made for them as there is a large demand from other parts of the Province.

3. As regards the other localities viz, Kambal near Nanjangud the District Excise officer Mysore, informs me that all the availa-able Government trees have been assigned but that he may be able to get from 2 to 3000 Hiduvali trees. There remains therefore the Hulehalli grove about 8 miles from Konehalli Station and which Mr. Sherman says will suit his purpose and the Hiduvali trees at Goribidnur which should suffice for the needs of the Civil and Military Station.

4. I may here mention that date trees generally appear to have been affected to a larger extent by the late drought and have not yet recovered and consequently there has been a larger demand than usual. Another factor is that last year the principal contractor for the Civil and military Station was a new man to the business and lacking in experience of what was required and which consequent -ly caused a good deal of trouble. I may also bring to notice that the supplying of date trees to the Civil and Military Station is a very serious loss to Government as not only do the Civil and Milita-

Military Station take all the tree tax but by giving them the best trees in the Province our own shopkeepers suffer to a large extent, and in consequence does the Government revenue. This reciprocation of tree tax answers very well with the border taluks of the Madras Government but with the Civil and Military Station they derive the whole benefit and the Mysore Government nil except the small sum of 4 annas per tree as tree-rent. I would therefore beg to suggest that in future the Civil and Military Station be requested to -- obtain their toddy from the Madras Presidency.

5. The correspondence received with your letter No. 765601/S.R. 11-09-5 dated 30th April 1910 is herewith returned.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

H H Sparkes

Excise Commissioner in Mysore.

G.R.S. 26]

File No. 11-09

Serial No. 12

Diary No. of letter replied to 1354

No. ~~JC/H2T~~ 1721

27-9-10

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To

The Excise Com✓

in Mysore

Date of issue 27.9.1910

Signed by M.V.S Hariyanniah

Sir,

Adverting to the correspondence ending with your letter no. 10546 of 96-10 regarding the assignment of toddy trees to the CSM Station, I am directed to enquire how far the requisitions from the Station authorities in the matter have been complied with and if there is still any complaint from them about the insufficiency of the trees assigned to them ~~so far~~. A full report on the matter as it now stands may be forwarded by return of post, as the matter is of very urgent

For Offg. Secy

RSR 2719

SUBJECT.

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File No. 11-09

Serial No. 14

Diary No. of letter replied to 1354

Pol. No. 371

General and Revenue Secretariat
(Sep Rev)
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To D.O.

Date of issue 26-10-1910

Signed by Mr. S. Balasundaram
for the addressed Secretary

Dear Sir,

In reply to your D.O. letter no. 5806 dt. 26.9.1910, regarding the allotment of trees for the supply of toddy to the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, I am desired to say that the Excise Comr has in consultation with the Collector and the Superintendent of Excise Cbm Station, made arrangements to mark the necessary number of Govt trees in the Tiptur taluk and has also given permission to the Contractor concerned to tap ~~Sidhuvalli~~ trees * both in the Gorikdinne and

over.

* Hobli on private lands

SUBJECT.

Kankanhalli Taluks and that the arrangements made are presumably ~~also~~ suitable, since no complaints have been received by the Excise Com^r.

2. In this connection I am to invite attention to the suggestion contained in the Dewan's D.O. letter No. 1141 of the 30th June 1910, that the toddy contractors of the Cauvery should be asked to obtain their supplies of toddy in future from the Guttar Dres. - ~~Thirthalli~~

Yours Sincerely

CSB

Opg. Secretary.

Major W. G. Grey. D.A.

First Assistant to

the Hon'ble the Resident

in Mysore

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8. To the Excise Comr.

No-2E-5401 dt 30/4/10

Forwards the correspondence received with SL(1) inclusive and requests him to write to Mr Sherman, meet him & ascertain the necessary particulars with reference to the last para of his letter No 417 dt 31-3-10 to the Collector Ct on Station.

9. From the 1st A. Resident.

No. 3331 dt 2/6/10.

Forwards copy of letter No 252 dt 27-5-10 from the Collector Ct on Station reporting that Mr. Sparkes has written to say that he cannot give 5000 trees in or about Kembal (Nanjingood) and urging that the Durbar be asked to reconsider the matter and make arrangements for the supply of trees, and requests that the Resident may be favoured with the view of the Durbar in the matter.

10. To the Excise Comr.

No-2E-6210 dt. 6-6-10.

Forwards copy of SL(9) and calls for a report on the points urged in the Collectors letter.

11. From the Excise Comr.

No. 10546 dt 9-6-10.

Reports that the trees available are those in the Hilchalli grove about 8 miles from the Kondalli Station and the hidavalli trees at Gorikdanur, and suggests that for reasons explained the Ct on Station may be requested to obtain their toddy in future from the Madras Presidency.

12. To the Excise Comr.

No 2E-1721 dt 27-9-10

Calls for a full report on the matter as it now stands.

13. From the Excise Comr.

No. 2982 dt. 28-9-10.

States that in consultation with the Collector and the Supdt of Excise, C & M States, arrangements have been made to mark the necessary number of Govt trees in the Siptur Tq. and permission given to the contractor concerned to tap hidavali trees both in the Gorikidanna and Kanakanhalli Tgs, and that as no complaints have been received, he presumes that the arrangements made are suitable.

14. To Major W. G. Grey I A. F. A. Resident to the Hon'ble the resident in Mysore.

D.o No Pol. 371 d. 26/10/10.

With reference to his D.o letter no 5806 d. 26.9.10 ~~in~~ regarding the allotment of trees for the supply of toddy to the C & M States, States that the Excise Comr has made arrangements to mark the necessary number of Govt trees in the Siptur Tq. and has also given permission to the Contractor to tap trees in certain Tgs. and that arrangements made are suitable, and invites his attention to the Dewan's D.o letter No 1141 d. 20.7.10.